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DIXON DAILY TELEGRAPH—THIRTY SECOND YEAR 269

SENATOR CLIFFE IS TALKED OF FOR THE LEADER OF SENATE

SENATOR FROM THIS DISTRICT GETS HONORABLE MENTION.

CLIFFE HAS STRONG SUPPORT

Richard J. Barr of Joliet, Defeated for Attorney General, Also Mentioned.

The Chicago Tribune publishes the following article which gives prominent mention to Senator Adam Cliffe, of Sycamore, who is senator from this district. Senator Cliffe is said to have excellent chances of becoming Republican leader in the state senate at Springfield. The Tribune says:

Developments in legislative circles yesterday virtually cinched the speakership of the lower house for David E. Shanahan, but at the same time uncovered a merry row over organization of the upper house that may call for Gov. Elect Lowden's personal attention.

A quiet but determined movement has been launched by some insurgent Republicans looking to the retirement from floor leadership of the old guard, led by Senators Barr or Jonet, Dudley of Peoria and Corporation Counsel Ettelson of Chicago.

A meeting of the insurgents will be held in Chicago soon to determine a course of action and count noses.

The "scrap" it is admitted, will be confined to leadership of the senate, and will not involve the working republican majority when it is settled. Lowden is to have practically unanimous support of republican senators in carrying out state platform pledges.

Six for President Pro Tem.

No less than six tentative candidates for president pro tem of the senate, which carries with it the floor leadership, have been put in the field. They are:

Adam C. Cliffe, Sycamore.

Edw. C. Curtis, Grant Park.

Richard J. Barr, Joliet.

Tom Dailey, Peoria.

Morton D. Hull, Chicago.

W. H. Cornwell, Chicago.

The insurgents are inclined at present to back Cliffe for leadership. He is Gov. Lowden's next door neighbor and is said to be satisfactory to the governor-elect.

W. H. Cornwell and Morton D. Hull are held in reserve by the insurgents if Cliffe doesn't develop necessary strength to win.

Trio Expected to Pool.

Curtis, Dailey and Barr are expected to pool their strength and will have the backing of Senator Ettelson and city hall influences.

Some downstate men suggest that Barr be made president pro tem as a sort of consolation prize.

But there is determined opposition kept under cover so far against Etelson and his friends gaining control of the upper house.

Several conferences are scheduled in Chicago next month to get things settled before the legislature opens the first week in January.

A contest is also developing over minority leadership. Senator Al. F. Gorman of Chicago, carrying Sullivan colors, is out for the honor and Walter L. Mann of Mount Sterling, who defeated Gorman before, is in the field again.

CHANGES MIND AFTER JUMP

Farmer Who Lost on Hughes Rescued After Leap into Well.

Pana, Ill., Nov. 14—Despondent over the election of President Wilson and made more so by the loss of money wagered on the election of Hughes, Orlando Piper, forty-five, retired farmer of Assumption, jumped into twenty feet of water in a well at his home. The cold bath brought back a desire to live and Piper held to the iron pump rod in the well two hours until rescued.

He was almost dead when taken from the well.

HUGHES' LEAP IS SMALL.

(Associated Press)

St. Paul, Nov. 14—Hughes' leap in Minnesota is now 155.

HENRY GEORGE IS DEAD.

Washington, Nov. 14—Former Congressman Henry George of New York is dead. He was a son of Henry George of Single Tax fame.

FIRST CONGRESSWOMAN

Unusual Courtesies to be Shown Jeannette Rankin.



BULLETINS

(Associated Press)

Wilson's plurality in California in California has been increased by 190 votes, by the returns from a number of county clerks.

St. Paul, Nov. 14—On a re-checking of the votes throughout the entire state, Hughes' plurality mounted to 1883. This includes Hennepin county's latest figures.

BRITISH CAPTURE TOWNS IN WEST

BERLIN ADMITS LOSS OF POSSESSIONS CLAIMED BY GREAT BRITAIN.

(Associated Press)

London, Nov. 14—Prisoners taken by the British in the Ancre section of the Somme front now number over 4,000, and the fighting continues. The capture of Beaumont Hamel is officially announced.

Determined Efforts.

Redoubled efforts are being made by the Austro-Germans against the Roumanians. Reuter's Bucharest correspondent reports that powerful Teutonic reinforcements have been sent to Orsova on the Danube, where the struggle continues.

Germans Admit Losses.

Berlin, Nov. 14—The stubborn defense against the British attacks near the river Ancre caused the defenders important losses. The capture by the British of Beaumont Hamel and St. Pierre is admitted.

London, Nov. 14—What may become known as the battle of the Ancre opened when the British forces struck a fresh blow against the German front in the region of the Ancre river. There had been no serious fighting in this sector since the opening of the British push July 1, when the British line of attack extended five miles north of the Ancre to Gemmecourt. But after a few days, no progress being made in this region, efforts were concentrated further to the south.

Apparently the Germans were taken by surprise, and they offered no serious resistance, except before Serre. The attack was carried out over a front extending five miles on both sides of the Ancre against positions which the Germans had held for two years, and which they considered impregnable.

Over 3,000 Prisoners.

The sudden rush resulted in the capture of Beaumont-Hamel and Saint Pierre Divion, with a gain of new ground of a maximum depth of one mile and a large number of prisoners, between 3,000 and 4,000 having already been reported.

The positions north of the river are described as of extraordinary strength, Beaumont-Hamel equaling Thiepval in the extent and security of its dugouts.

The fighting continues north of Serre. This latest British advance, in conjunction with that on the Schwaben-Café front threatens the envelopment of Miramont, on the Albert-Arras railway.

In all the positions of the Germans north of the Ancre there was a profusion of connected machine gun redoubts, elaborate telephone and electric light systems and great caverns capable of sheltering companies of infantry. Prisoners say it was believed Beaumont-Hamel could not be taken by the British.

Mackensen Caught in Rear?

London, Nov. 14—A severe reverse, which may turn out to be an overwhelming defeat, dooming his army, is reported for Field Marshal von Mackensen in Dobrudja from Petrograd.

The exact meaning of the communication, which was relayed by wireless from Rome, is not clear, but its import bespeaks emphatic success for Russo-Roumanian arms.

That the Russians have crossed the Danube at two points south of Tchernavoda is the gist of the message. Of this there are two interpretations, if the announcement be correct.

Either the Teutonic-Bulgarian-Turkish invaders of the Roumanian province have been hurled back to the south of the Constanta-Tchernavoda railroad, the capture of which was the first objective of the incursion into Dobrudja, or the Mackensen army has been caught in the rear.

Brilliant Victory for Serbs.

A brilliant victory has been gained by the Serbs and French on the western Macedonian front, according to a Saloniki dispatch. Continuing their pursuit of the retreating Bulgarians and Germans in the Cerna bend, the entente forces drove the enemy back nearly two miles, capturing 1,000 prisoners.

The village of Iven, five miles north of occupied Poloz and ten miles within the Serbian border, was seized. The force lost sixteen field guns, twenty-one caissons and fourteen limbers.

Washington, Nov. 14—The United States will not join with Spain and the Vatican in a protest against the deportation of Belgians.

(Associated Press)

Paris, Nov. 14—According to dispatches from Rome, the Vatican, the United States and Spain have decided to approach Germany jointly with a view to putting a stop to the deportation of Belgians.

Washington, Nov. 14—Former Co

gressman Henry George of New York is dead. He was a son of Henry George of Single Tax fame.

REV. F. C. GRANT IS NEW HEAD OF ROCK RIVER VALLEY ASSN.

PASTOR OF DIXON EPISCOPAL CHURCH CHOSEN PRESIDENT AT MEETING.

EXCELLENT SESSION WAS HELD

Fifteen Preachers Enjoyed Papers and Discussion Here on Monday.

Officers for the ensuing year were chosen yesterday by the Rock River Valley Ministerial association, which met in morning and afternoon sessions Monday at the M. E. church. These are:

President—Rev. Frederick C. Grant, Dixon.

Vice President—Rev. C. M. Irwin, Sterling.

Secretary—Rev. R. V. Hinkle, Sterling.

Treasurer—Rev. Lebbeus Woods, Dixon.

The next meeting will be held at Grace Evangelical church the second Monday in February, 1917.

Fifteen pastors attended the meeting and derived great benefit from the excellent papers presented. Rev. L. Woods of the South Dixon Lutheran church discussed "The Unsolved Ethical Problems of Today," in a neiptful and interesting paper. Rev. Frederick C. Grant, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church, gave the paper of the afternoon, "Prominent Features of Primitive Eschatology," developed in a very thoughtful manner. Both papers were the subject of general discussion.

The severity of the weather made the change of dinner plans advisable and instead of going to Grand Detour, the pastors took dinner at the Nachusa Tavern.

Secretary Dr. Kinderen of the Y. M. C. A. spent Saturday in Chicago with his sister.

DON'T MISS IT.

A Story of the Western Frontier

By ROBERT AMES BENNET

The adventures of a young American army officer, an Easterner who has discovered gold on an Indian reservation and the great-grand-daughter of Sitting Bull. Full of thrills and anxious moments!

Our Next Serial

Don't fail to read it for you will enjoy every installment.

FIRST CHAPTER Starts Tomorrow Night

THE WEATHER

Tuesday, Nov. 14, 1916

Fair and continued cold tonight; rising temperature Wednesday.

Sunday 42 31

Monday 43 27

COLD WAVE SWEEPS OVER MIDDLE WEST

FRIGIDITY LOSES INTENSITY AS IT MOVES EASTWARD, HOWEVER.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 14—The cold wave from the Rocky Mountain region continued to move eastward today. Advancing cold is felt everywhere in the states east of the Mississippi, but it is losing its frigidity as it moves eastward.

HEAVY SNOW FALL.

Detroit, Nov. 14—A heavy snowfall in southern Michigan is sweeping toward Detroit. Six inches of snow is reported in Bay City.

WARRANTS ISSUED FOR ATTORNEY HOYNE

COKK CO. STATES ATTORNEY IS FACING CHARGE OF CRIMINAL LIBEL.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Nov. 14—Warrants for the arrest of States Attorney Hoyne and editors of five Chicago newspapers have been asked by Chief Justice Olson of the municipal court, who charges criminal libel in connection with alleged interviews with Hoyne growing out of charges against Chief of Police Healey. Judge True issued the warrants for Hoyne and General Manager Brown of the Chicago News Bureau, and intimated that he would issue warrants for the editors.

CATHOLIC FAIR DRAWS THROUGHS

Success Indicated by First Night's Attendance Continues.

St. Patrick's Catholic church bazaar continued Monday evening with indications of a continuation of the success which was foretold by the exceptionally large attendance Saturday evening, when the largest opening-night crowd in the history of church fairs was present. The fair will run every night this week at Rosbrook's nail, Slothower's orchestra will furnish music for the dancing tonight.

MRS. FRED A. MEAD IS DEAD

Former Dixon Woman Died Sunday in Portland, Oregon.

TO HOLD UP CONGRATULATIONS

Wilson Will Keep Ruler's Names Until Hughes Gives In.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 14—The names of the foreign rulers who have congratulated Wilson on his re-election will not be given out until after his election is formally conceded by the republicans.

FEW NEW APPOINTMENTS

(Associated Press)

New York, Nov. 14—The Democratic national committee is \$300,000 in debt after conducting the campaign for President Wilson's re-election, according to an announcement from Henry Morgenthau, treasurer.

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"Then I shan't stay to take any chances."

CELIA ARMSTRONG awoke suddenly. Confused with sleep, and with a sense that it must be nearly morning, she reached out for the alarm clock on the mahogany table, but the clock, ominously enough, had stopped.

Philip always wound the clocks.

She slipped out of bed, and in the dim light of the one gas jet burning in her dressingroom beyond, she could see that the tiny hands of the timepiece pointed to three.

Three o'clock in the morning and Philip had not come home! He had not even telephoned.

The clock dropped noisily on the polished floor.

Little Jack, awakened by the noise, whimpered, his little soul affrighted by the heavy stillness of the big house, and she went to him and comforted him.

Afterward she put on her bathrobe and slippers. There was a singing in

her ears. Her pretty childish face was very white; her blue eyes very wide and startled.

Celia thought of a hundred things that might have happened to him. He had been called away suddenly on business; he had been hurt and carried to a hospital—yet, underneath all her surface fears, the real fear—the fear that had been growing from a tiny thing to a great bulk without form or substance for these many weeks, stirred her pulses sluggishly, then more insistently, until it seemed to rise up in her throat and almost strangle her. There was something wrong; there had been something wrong for a long time. Was she to learn now what it was?

Pushing back the heavy, velvet curtains she peered out into the street. It had been raining. A ghostly white fog veiled the houses across the road. A milk wagon went quietly by with a lighted lantern swinging at one side.

Then a key clicked in a lock, and a second later Philip came slowly in.

"Philip," she cried, and choked.

He drew back from her, leaning against the door. For many years afterward she remembered that awful moment as they faced each other.

"It is nearly morning, Philip. I—I was frightened," she stammered.

"I came near not coming home at all," he said thickly, and he did not lower his voice.

She closed the door into Jack's room.

"I am broke, cleaned out. Fancher got suspicious, and they were working on the books a month before I knew it. If they prosecute, it means ten or twenty years behind bars. How do you like that?" his voice rose.

"How do you like that?"

Stunned, she heard him, without realizing a word that he said.

He did not look like any one she had ever known. His eyes were heavy and dull, his clothes smelled of smoke, and looked as though he had slept in

them. His thick, brown hair was rough on his boyish head.

He pushed on, hotly.

"I could not keep up. I worked like a slave. I spent next to nothing on myself, but bills kept getting ahead of me. I would not beg of your father, so I fixed the books now and then, a little at a time, then more often. There are thousands doing the same every day and not being caught at it; but I am not clever. I am only a fool, an easy mark, and—"

"A thief," she whispered, understanding at last.

"Yes, a thief, but for whom did I steal?" bitterly. "What have I had out of it? The misery, that's all. I could not afford this house, but you get it, and everything else that you want. I never could deny you a thing. Celia, if you had wanted my heart or a妻er you could have had it, and you knew it. Well, yes, but I have seen you from luxury, and I must not let you want for anything. That was my creed. I have kept to it, and now I pay. For myself, I am glad it has all come to an end. I have not slept decently for a year. If it wasn't for you, Celia—"

His lips quivered. He put out his hands boyishly, but she drew back.

"You, a thief!" she said again dully.

"Is that all you feel? Celia—Celia!"

There was no response in her face, only fear and aversion.

"Then I shan't stay to take any chances. Your father will take care of you and Jack. I've failed. If I should ever be able to cover it and start new, Celia, somewhere else—"

still his eyes begged.

But her face did not change.

He opened the door.

"I see. We are through. I will never bother you any more. You came too high for me. I should have known, but I didn't. Kiss the boy—"

Then he was gone, slamming the outer door so hard that little Jack awoke and cried.

It was summer before she was well again, and could listen to her father's ultimatum.

"We want you here, daughter, you and Jack. What I have is yours and the boy's, but not Philip's. I do not know where he has gone, and I do not care. The defalcation is about four thousand. Fancher, to my surprise, has considerable sympathy for him, her father's voice was grim, "and will probably not push the matter. But, as far as you are concerned, it is finished. Next year, when the scandal has died out, I will apply for a divorce for you."

"No," Celia said stubbornly.

"Why not?"

She could give no reason.

"No," she repeated, and though he cajoled and threatened, she would not agree, and at last the subject was temporarily dropped.

Even to herself she could give no reason. She seemed to be curiously changed these days. The house was not home to her any more. She tried to make herself fit in as of old, but she could not, though she made desperate efforts. She seemed to have outgrown her old ideas. Her mother's showiness irritated her. Her father's prosperity and riches angered her.

The tragedy of Philip's homecoming that night, his flight, and the fall of their house of cards had wakened her sharply. Every word that he had said was vividly before her now, hour by hour. She could not get away from them.

The summer dragged into autumn, the autumn into winter, the winter into spring again. Gradually, out of loneliness, and misery, and longing,

the soul of Celia, the wife and mother, was born anew. She could see clearly where she had tangled the thread of her life and Philip's; where she had taken advantage of his love for her, of his boyish weakness, and betrayed him for her selfish vanity, for childish tinsel, and glittering, worthless baubles.

But it was too late now. She had made him a thief and an outcast. He would never come back now to face her father. Perhaps if she were by herself he might come, but never here in her old home.

She began to want him with a love that she had never known before. She began to feel the bond between them, stronger now that they were together. Above all, she was Philip's wife, and Jack was his son. In their foolishness they had made mistakes, he and she; but hers was the greater transgression. Yet she had sent him away without a sign; she had deliberately put the world between them.

The day that it became clear to her, Jack was playing with a new electric railroad in the room beyond, as she called him suddenly.

He came romping into the room.

"Would you like to live in the country, little son?" she asked.

He shook his curly head.

"Can I take my railroad?" he asked doubtfully.

"Perhaps."

"And my wheel?"

"Perhaps."

"Grandpa is going to give me a pony in the spring, he said so."

She took him up into her lap, seeing suddenly just where she stood.

Even Jack was learning fast that he must have everything that he wanted.

He was not a poor man's son, Philip's son—he was a rich man's grandson. Philip had lost his son as well as his wife.

Blindly now she began her search.

For weary hours she walked the crowded streets, her heart in her eyes.

Often a gesture, an expression from some passing face, started her weakly, but it was never Philip. Perhaps Graham Fancher, Philip's employer, might know, but she was ashamed to go to him.

One desolate day she met Agnes, the maid of whom she had been fondest,

and they talked together a long time.

Agnes was married now, and evidently quite content.

"He does not earn much," the girl said simply, "but we do not mind. He is a good boy. The rent is small out in Kensington and cheap, but the country is growing green, and it is lovely."

"May I come to see you?" Celia asked abruptly.

Agnes Johnson grew a rosy red.

"I'd be glad to have you," she said.

Celia went eagerly, and there she learned the rest of her lesson.

Agnes' three small rooms were tidy and clean. The good, brown bread was wholesome and sweet. Low wages

and high prices on necessities made life a hard and dull thing, but love and companionship added the rose, and the gold and the glory.

Two weeks later Celia settled herself and Jack in the cottage next to her former maid's. A tiny income of her own, left by a doting grandparent, would not allow of much furnishings, and Jack cried himself to sleep for three nights because the rooms were cold, and there was no deft, patient nurse to untie his strings and unbutton his buttons.

Her father had grimly given her six months to grow tired of her whim;

her mother had given her even less. Celia could not have explained her reasons to them if she had tried. They were too complex.

She had only a blind feeling that now she was where she should be.

As Philip's wife—living in humility and poverty. Philip's child must be brought up as a poor man's son. He must learn to do without, even as she resolved to learn.

Perhaps some day—though she tried desperately to keep the hope down—Philip might come back. He might forgive her and realize that she was trying to undo the mistakes of the past. But she could never undo them, though she endured patiently. That must be her punishment.

A HOUSE OF CARDS

By M. Woodruff Newell

At first Agnes helped her, doing the heaviest of the work, but after a little she dispensed even with this.

Sometimes she was so tired that she could not sleep. Sometimes she was so homesick, so lonely, that the silence of the tiny house almost threw her into a panic; but with a grim tenacity which she had never known before, she held blindly to her purpose.

The red sheen of the maples, and the warm yellow rays of the sun at last dragged June out of her hiding place. Agnes' good husband had made Celia a small garden.

There were potatoes, and turnips, and cucumbers, and squash, and corn, and in one corner a happy group of larkspur, and hollyhocks, and golden glow.

As the sun got more power that garden grew and grew, each new bit of green bringing its own message to Celia's re-born soul and clearer understanding.

Jack went wild over it all—from potatoes to golden glow—learning the name of each growing thing in the morning and forgetting it again by night. Mother and son used to stalk around it in solemn triumph together just before Jack's bedtime. One night he had fallen asleep on the last lap, and Celia was carrying him—big boy as he was—his yellow head in the warm hollow of her arm, when Agnes came running over.

"Are you here?" she called.

"Why, yes," Celia answered in some surprise.

Then she saw Philip, standing where Agnes had stood, tall, and gaunt, and pained.

"I was afraid to come—I was ashamed, but Agnes said—"

The man's voice broke and she ran to him, and he took them both into his arms—mother and child.

Celia shut her eyes, and opened them again slowly, lest the dream melt into thin air.

"I have made up some of the money now, Celia. Fancher has been as good as gold. I have been working in his Boston office for two months—but I was so homesick for a sight of you—Celia, Celia—"

"I have learned lots of things," she said brokenly. "Oh, how I hated myself when I saw what I had done to you! It was all my fault, Philip—I know now, I know now."

"Hush, Celia, there was no excuse for me—"

But she smiled at him through her happy tears.

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FROM NEIGHBORING TOWNS

News Items of Interest to Readers in County

UGH! ACID STOMACH SOURNESS, HEARTBURN GAS OR INDIGESTION

The Moment "Pape's Diapepsin reaches the stomach all distress goes."

FLEW 650 MILES IN 6 HOURS AND 7 MINUTES.



VICTOR CARLSTROM

Victor Carlson, who already holds the record in his flight of 416 miles from Newport News to New York City, undertook to fly from Chicago to New York City in the aeroplane in which he is seated here without alighting.

He failed to do that and was forced to land.

Total cost of improvement... \$454.06

Estimated to cover lapsing interest on bonds 43.98

Total assessment \$498.04

Public notice is further given that the Board of Local Improvement of the City of Dixon in the County of Lee and State of Illinois

caused to be filed in the County Court of Lee on the 13th

day of November, A. D. 1916, a certificate showing the final cost of constructing vitrified tile pipe sewer

with manhole and house connection laterals in East Fourth Street, under

and in pursuance of City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance Number

181, Series of 1916, and the amount

estimated by said Board to be required to meet the accruing interest

on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work.

Said Certificate also shows that aid work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and is duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows:

Total amount expended for labor \$322.46

Total cost of materials 105.91

Total cost of work \$428.36

Lawful expense 25.70

Elizabeth Clark is caring for her.

George Gehant spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. X. F. Gehant.

Mrs. Harry Roe spent Sunday in Chicago.

Ed Zoeller is spending a few days in Chicago on business.

THE DRACHMANN 'Key Control'

Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

Tuesday

Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary, Miss Helen Brown.
Phidian Art Club, Mrs. C. Dysart, U. and I. Club, Miss Bishop.
Woman's Loyal Circle, Moose Hall.

Wednesday

Ideal Club, Mrs. Blake Grover.
Inter Nos Club, Mrs. George Missman.

Thursday

M. E. Aid Society, Mrs. F. X. Newcomer.
Baptist Auxiliary, Mrs. James Lennon.
Dorcas Society, Mrs. Charles Thomas.
Sunshine Class Social, Mrs. Lowry.

Friday

W. C. T. U. Meeting, Mrs. Davies.
C. C. Circle, Mrs. Webster Poole.
St. Agnes Guild, Mrs. Robert Sterling.

Gave Musicale

Mrs. W. J. Price, who is soon to leave Dixon for Montana, gave a farewell musicale last evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Anderson, 812 Third street. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goddess, Dr. and Mrs. Moss, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Downing, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hintz, Mrs. W. C. Dysart, Miss Nettie Burd, Miss Blanch Dysart and Lloyd Bartholomew. The musicale program was given by Robert Anderson, Jr., accompanied by Mrs. Goddess, Mrs. Price and Henry Hintz were also on the program.

The evening was one of great enjoyment to all present. Mr. Anderson was, as always, delightful, in his rendition of a number of beautiful songs. Mrs. Price charmed all with her vocal numbers, and an unusual treat were the numbers given on the harmonicon by Henry Hintz. Rose-colored chrysanthemums added a charming touch of color here and there about the rooms. The refreshments served by the hostess were the quintessence of excellence and were greatly enjoyed.

Dinner Party

Sheriff R. R. Phillips entertained with a stag dinner Saturday evening eighteen gentlemen, the guests including Judge Farrand, States Attorney Harry Edwards, County Treasurer J. E. Moyer, John H. Myers, Atty. Harry Warner, Circuit Clerk E. S. Rosecrans, Deputy Sheriff Frank Schloenholz and S. S. Nett, Judge Scott, W. W. Phillips, C. P. Reid, W. C. Thompson, Atty. George Dixon, Judge Crabtree, John Sterling, Freeman Robinson, County Supt. L. W. Miller, and Joseph McCleary. Mrs. Phillips and daughter, Miss Neva, served an especially excellent three-course dinner. Chrysanthemums formed the table decorations.

The Baptist women will serve a jitney lunch in connection with their Christmas bazaar on Saturday, Nov. 25. First door north of T. J. Miller's music store. 268 2

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Want to Read a Good Western Story?

We are going to print one about Indians, soldiers, cowboys and prospectors involved in conquest of an Indian reservation.

A pretty, cultivated young girl, with the blood of red-skin chiefs in her veins, and an army officer are the principal characters. The title is

The Quarterbreed

and it's a story that doesn't lag for an instant from beginning to end.

Watch for our new serial and be sure to get the issue with the first installment

-STARTS TOMORROW NIGHT-

With Mrs. Eastman

Mrs. Edna Walker, W. R. C. Department Counselor of Peoria, will be a guest of Mrs. Roy Eastman this evening. Mrs. Walker has been looking after W. R. C. business in the northern part of the state.

To Visit in Rossville

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burnell went to Chicago today and will there join their daughter, Mrs. Jean Smith, and will accompany her to Rossville for a visit at Mrs. Smith's home.

Inter Nos Club

The Inter Nos Club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. George Missman.

Week-end in Oregon

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sprout and children and Mrs. James McCoy were entertained Saturday and Sunday at the William Wragg home at Oregon.

Social at Vauquel School

A box social will be held at the Vauquel school, 6 miles south of Ashton, Thursday evening, Nov. 23. All are cordially invited. Ladies will please bring baskets.

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Too Late to Classify

Visited Parents
Mrs. Roy Eastman visited for the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McGlaughlin of Eldena.

Guest of Honor

MISS SYLVIA KELLY spent Monday at her home in Woosung where a birthday party was given in her honor.

Visited Parents

Samuel Lehman returned to Mt. Morris College after a brief visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehman.

From Leavenworth

Mrs. Lou Waikidshaw of Leavenworth, Kansas, is a guest at the home of her brother, H. T. Baughman.

With the George Prescotts

Rev. Fred L. Shaw of Chicago spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. George Prescott on his way to El Paso, his old home.

Dorcas Society

The Dorcas Society of the Congregational church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Charles Thomas of 3d and Monroe. Rev. John Dornhoefer will have charge of the Bible study.

Stevenson Day

Monday was "Stevenson's Day" with the Peoria Avenue Club, whose study of Scotland and its people embraces the interesting literary men of that little country, as well. The club met for the afternoon with Mrs. L. D. Dement, Mrs. James Sterling and a very interesting zoographical sketch of Robert Louis Stevenson and Mrs. Dement read brief extracts from his works, including a number from his short stories. Quotations were given from Stevenson by each one of the members present. A map of Scotland of the fourth and fifth century period was submitted by F. S. McKeyney and interestingly examined and studied by the members. Light refreshments were served.

Hear of Great Highways

Discussion of the debate was the topic taken by the parliamentary drill in charge of Miss Ruth Dysart at the meeting of Chapter A. C. Illinois, P. E. O. yesterday, held at the home of Mrs. Abner Barlow. The papers of the afternoon were on the great highways that stretch across our country. Mrs. Trowbridge discussed the Lincoln highway which traverses the country from New Jersey to California, and Miss Della Strong told of the Dixie highway, which has its beginning in Chicago and passes through the southern states to Florida. Much of interest was told of each of these. Current topics were given and very enjoyable refreshments, served by the hostess, were discussed during the closing hour of the meeting.

St. Agnes' Guild

St. Agnes' Guild will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Robert Sterling, 221 Dement Ave. The members are asked to come prepared to sew.

At Grace Church

An excellent program has been prepared for the public missionary meeting to be held this evening at the Grace Evangelical church under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary Society. Rev. J. Divan, the pastor, will explain the work in China, vocal numbers will be rendered by Miss Jennie Oakes and Miss Minnie Ziegler, and Miss Hazel Webster will give a reading. Miss Jeffs has charge of the Mission study exposition. Everyone is invited.

G. A. R.

Ladies of the G. A. R. will meet with Mrs. George Massen at her home, 224 Dement Ave., Wednesday instead of at the home of the president, Mrs. Morris. It is re-

NOTICE. The party who took pair of black auto gloves from coat at the Sunnyside restaurant Sunday night is known. Return same and avoid trouble. R. L. Spielman. 269 2*

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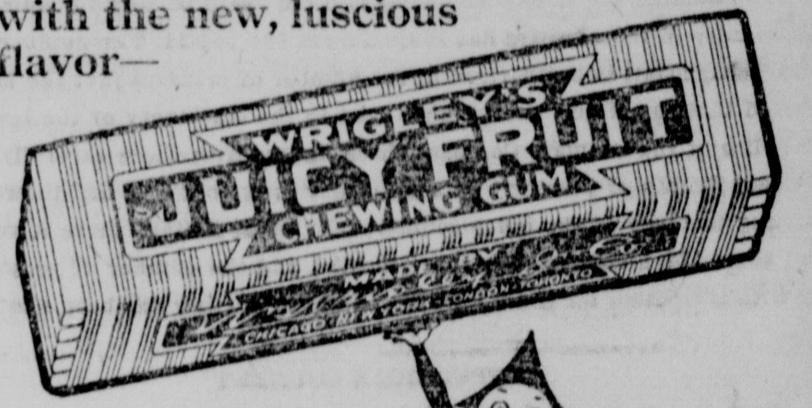
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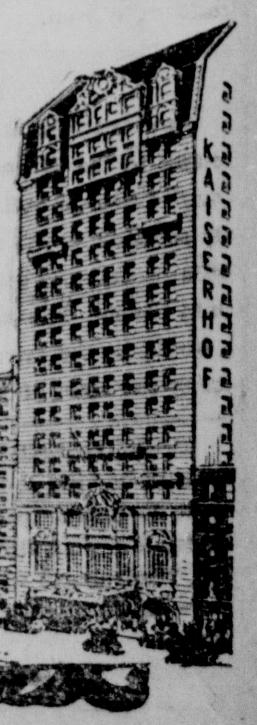
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MRS. H. M. FLAGLER

Mrs. Henry M. Flagler, widow of the Florida railroad magnate, who is believed to have left her at least \$60,000,000, is about to wed again. Although her engagement with Judge Robert Worth Bingham of Louisville, Ky., is not formally announced, the report, well authenticated, has been given out. Her home was at Macomb, Ill., at the time she married the millionaire in 1901, shortly after he had obtained a divorce on the ground that his first wife was insane.

STERLING'S PHARMACY

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SOME STARTLING FIGURES

Startling figures showing the number of persons killed by firearms in the United States during 1915 have just been issued by the census bureau. 7994 persons died by firearms during that year, in the so-called registration area, which contains approximately 67 per cent of the total population.

On the basis that the same number of deaths due to firearms occurred among the other 33 per cent, not covered in the registration area where the government gathers mortality statistics, some 11,931 persons were killed by firearms during the year 1915 in this country.

The death rate by firearms was 11.9 per 100,000 population, the census bureau reports. In the registration area where the total number of such deaths was 7994, 3608 were suicides, 2885 were homicides and 1501 were accidental.

Perhaps the most appalling of these figures is the number of homicides. This is rated a civilized and law abiding country. But when it is known that 2885 were killed by others who shot them down with firearms in an area containing only 67 per cent of the entire population during a year, it seems as though the laws and police protection must be inefficient. Taking the same percentage for the entire country, it is estimated there were no less than 4306 homicides by firearms during 1915. That there were hundreds of homicides in which firearms were not used must be true beyond a doubt.

Owing to the fact that no complete records are kept in this country to show the number of murders and executions following them, it is not possible to state absolutely how many persons pay the life penalty for crimes. But it is possible to estimate these figures with considerable accuracy, and the number of murderers who escape justice is so large in comparison with those who suffer the death penalty or imprisonment as almost to put a premium on murder in this country. It appears to be far less dangerous to kill a man than to fly in an airship or attempt some of the other more or less hazardous sports.

The number of persons who have paid the death penalty for murders in this country in recent years has ranged from 100 to 120. The number is ridiculously small in comparison to the number of murders that the belief is aroused that something wrong must exist in the machinery of the law and the police of the country. Compare these figures with those carefully kept by Great Britain or Germany before the war broke out and the difference is startling in favor of the older countries. In Great Britain there have averaged some 150 homicides per year recently, and the number of persons to pay with their lives for the taking of the life of another has been about 100.

A REPUBLICAN COUNTRY

Even though the final accounting may show President Wilson has been returned, the election has demonstrated that the United States is a republican country. In state after state that have given their electoral vote to the president practically all republican candidates for state offices have been chosen by imposing majorities. The "solid south" is all that has saved the democratic party from dissolution long ago and had even a small part of that section voted its sentiments instead of prejudices this year Mr. Hughes would have been elected decisively, says Bloomington Pantograph.

The democrats were never more confident of a sweeping victory than this year and there were reasons for this optimism. General conditions overwhelmingly favored them. There was the party in power, an advantage of large proportions. With all Europe engaged in the bloodiest war in history they were able to capitalize peace conditions in this country. With the war prosperity at its height they could go before the country with the plausible but fallacious argument that such prosperity was due to democratic policies. Added to these circumstances was the division of the republican party four years ago. With such conditions to contend with it is remarkable that the republican party gave the democrats one of the most tremendous battles in American history. Even the democratic New York Times is marvelling over the strength shown by the republicans. It says: "The marvel of it is that the republican party has been so completely reunited after the disastrous division of 1912. The rapid and complete healing of so dreadful a wound is without precedent in our politics." Truly it may be said that President Wilson was born under a lucky star. He became president not because the people of the United States believed in democratic policies but because the republican party was divided. He received a smaller popular vote than any democratic candidate in 16 years. The first year and a half of his administration showed an unmistakable tendency toward general depression. Then came the European war with its abnormal effects on the United States. If there had been no European war the democrats would have been deprived of their specious arguments in this campaign. With the republicans as aggressive as they proved to be, how many electoral votes would Wilson have received this year had it not been for the European war?

If President Wilson is re-elected, however, he will be entitled to all the glory of success regardless of the conditions that brought it about. He will be the first democrat since Andrew Jackson to have been elected for two successive terms and should he serve his full time, the first president since Grant to have occupied the executive chair for eight full years. It is not surprising that democrats who remain strictly within party lines enthusiasm over President Wilson.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT.

Now that the election is over, Lee county might devote some careful thought to the subject of better roads. A bond issue, which will provide enough funds to build all the main roads in this country at one time is the only solution, as we see it. We also believe that the people of Lee county would be too glad to vote in favor of such a bond issue. Everyone would benefit. The tax payer who would stand the cost, owns property and he would be the greatest receiver of benefits. Other counties in Illinois are getting the start of Lee.

BABY HECKER IS DEAD.

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Mrs. John McKenna and daughter Mary of Palmyra were in Dixon Saturday.

City in Brief

The touching and beautiful war song entitled "Take Me Back to Mother," will be sent to any address upon receipt of 15 cents. Mrs. K. C. Harch, Lincoln Highway Inn, Sterling, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nagle and daughter of Woosung were in Dixon Saturday.

Kowland Bros. have received a supply of Parisian Sage, the delightful hair treatment that cures dandruff and scalp troubles and prevents baldness. Money back if it fails.

Philip Miller left Monday morning for Nashville, Tenn.

Franz H. Messer, record keeper, paid to Mrs. Harry Steward one thousand dollars, the amount of the policy carried by her late husband in The Knights of Maccabees.

Charles Frye of Amboy spent Monday in Dixon.

Harry Seekman went to Chicago Saturday to spend the week-end.

We pay 37c for strictly fresh eggs, Tetricks Grocery, 116 Peoria Ave. Phone 109. 2692

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner spent Sunday in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sperbeck of Rock Island were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Byington. Mr. Sperbeck is superintendent of the Bennett Pipe Organ Company.

Mrs. Wilbur Gatchell of Harmon was in town Saturday.

JOHNSON ATTACK LIE, ROOSEVELT

Colonel Denounces Story That He Criticized Governor.

PRAISES LATTER'S LOYALTY

Bull Moose Leader and George W. Perkins Take Hand in Bitter Dispute Over California—Newspaper Story That They Blamed Governor Johnson for Hughes Failure Is Denounced.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—Theodore Roosevelt and George W. Perkins have taken a hand in the bitter dispute between the Progressives and the old guard factions of the Republican party within the state, as a result of the plurality given Wilson over Hughes, deciding the national election's outcome.

Roosevelt and Perkins wired to Chester Rowell, Progressive leader, Johnson's right hand man, Republican national committeeman and chairman of the Republican state central committee, denials of a published report that Roosevelt was incensed at Johnson's failure to win California for Hughes while he himself won two to one for the U. S. senate.

Roosevelt Extols Johnson's Loyalty.

Roosevelt's wire said: "Mr. Perkins has shown me your message. The report is a preposterous falsehood and I yesterday wrote the editor of the New York paper which I think is probably responsible for the story, that it is a mischievous and sensational untruth without the smallest particle of foundation. I suppose efforts will now be made by scoundrels or fools or mere sensation mongers to spread abroad such falsehoods and other similar falsehoods. I have just heard from Peter Clark MacFarlane of the governor's continual eloquent appeal for Hughes and his kindly references to myself in his speeches during the great campaign he waged. The effort to make trouble between the governor and myself is doomed to ridiculous failure."

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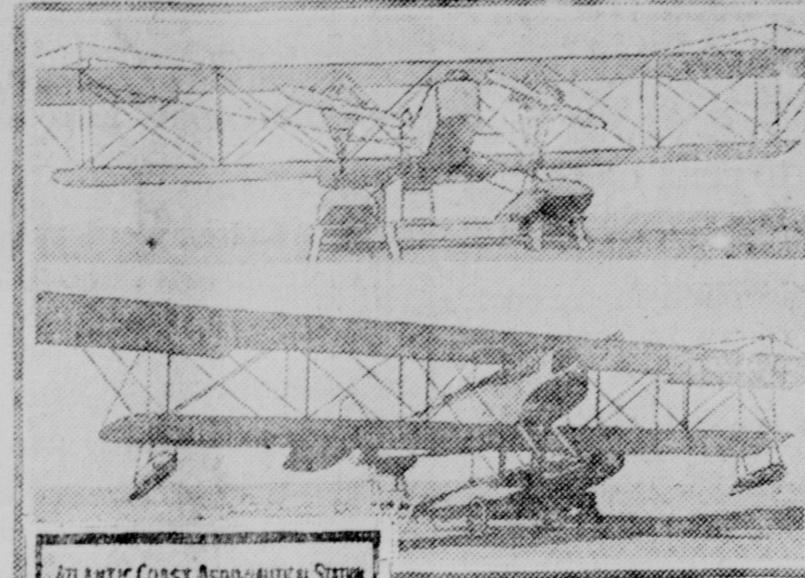
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ATLANTIC CITY	8000	6000
ASBURY PARK	16000	7500
NEW YORK	12000	10000
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TO ALL POINTS		

In the buildings of the Curtiss aeroplane company at Newport News, Va., where this bulletin of aeroplane fares is pasted, there are being built for the navy two kinds of aeroplanes. The upper model is 200 horse power with two pontoons for alighting and traveling on the water. It is known as the J N twin engine type.

The lower picture shows a 100 horse power single pontoon hydroplane, which has been accepted by the aeronautical board of the navy. Thirty machines are to be built.

COUNCIL HELD SHORT MEET

FRANZ JOSEPH AGAIN IS ILL

Monthly Bills of \$1091.61 Allowed and Ordered Paid

Berlin Is Authority That Emperor's Condition Has Been Grave.

Berlin, Nov. 14.—Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary has been ailing for some days from a slight attack of catarrh. The Emperor is able to continue his daily work as usual and receives the regular daily reports.

Latest advices from Vienna state that the aged monarch's condition already is improved, and his physicians are quoted as saying that his health is re-established.

E. R. Nelson of the Drachmann Key Control Player Piano Co. of Chicago is here on business with a local dealer.

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ADDITIONAL SOCIETY

quested that each member bring pieces for quilts and her thimble as this will be an all-day sewing bee, with a scramble dinner at noon. Remember the place, Mrs. George Massen's home.

E. R. B. Class Social

The E. R. B. Class of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will hold its regular business and social meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raffenberger, 517 N. Ottawa Ave. Mrs. Raffenberger will be assisted by Miss Olive Raffenberger. All members are urged to be present.

With Mrs. Curtis

Mrs. Rowe's Sunday School Class of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Elbert Curtis of 222

GRANDMOTHER'S MEDICINE

Our grandmothers were wise in the virtues of the herbs of the field. They used to gather and store roots and herbs and use them to cure the ailments of their families—wormwood, thoroughwort, sage, rue, camomile—the list might go on and on of the healing plants with which they made us familiar.

Now their grand-daughters get the extracts from just such good old roots and herbs from the nearest druggist, ready prepared for use. One such medicine, which women find best for their own ailments, is the well known Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



MRS. THOMAS A. EDISON

This is the best photograph ever taken of Mrs. Thomas A. Edison, incidentally it shows perfectly Mrs. Edison's idea of how low a dress should be in front. Some months ago she

with other women of New Jersey began a campaign to induce young women to wear dresses which were not shocking, and she appears in this photograph with one of that kind.

E. Boyd St. tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. Curtis' section of the class will have charge.

Approaching Marriage

Announcement was made Sunday at St. Patrick's church of the approaching marriage of Miss Katherine Hannan of this city and Mr. Thomas Shean of Ohio, Ill. Miss Hannan came with her people from Ohio a few years ago and has made many friends here. She is the niece of Mrs. Daniel C. Blackburn of 913 Ninth street.

Sunshine Class Social
The Sunshine Class of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold its social

Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. S. P. Lowry, 901 Fourth St. Mrs. Lowery, Mrs. McBride, and Mrs. Heffler will be the hostesses. A good attendance is required as much business is to be transacted.

Cafeteria Dinner

Dixon people are good patrons of the church dinner. They will be given an opportunity to indulge themselves Friday evening when the ladies of the Kingdom-Bend Aid Society will serve a fine cafeteria dinner from six to eight at the Henry Hintz home on Route 5. The proceeds will go to the Kingdom church. The ladies are preparing for a large gathering.

Mrs. Theodore Fuller entertained

For the Week-end
Miss Edna Coveatt, who is taking the nurses' training course in a Chicago hospital visited with her parents over Saturday and Sunday, returning to Chicago Monday morning. Miss Coveatt was also a guest of Miss Marguerite Reynolds.

Luncheon
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dysart and son Wilson were dinner guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roper.

Miss Margaret Burke returned to her school Monday morning near Mendota after spending the weekend at her home here.

Miss Ida Courtright left today to visit for a time in Harmon with Mrs. Lund.

Guests at Dinner
The F. Benson real estate firm has rented additional space in the Love and Bldg. They have freely used varnish and rich wall papers in all the rooms, making them very attractive.

Roy Andrews, who has charge of the branch of the C. V. Chapman oil business in Madison, Wis., spent Sunday here with his mother.

J. E. Moyer was in Chicago Monday on business.

West Side residents are again bothered by a "Jack the Peeper," but say the next time he is seen, he will not get away without a charge of powder and shot.

Earl Overholser of Sterling was a visitor in Dixon Monday.

Mrs. Samuel Betcheinheimer of Rock Island is visiting at the home of Mrs. Joshua Fry.

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Your Victrola—the instrument you want for your home—is here.

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If you have an idea of about what style you would prefer, come in and hear it. Let us play for you the kind of music you like best. Let us show you what excellent music the Victrola brings right into your home.

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NOTHIN' TO DO AN' PLENTY OF
TIME TO DO IT IN I THINK I'D
LIKE TO BE A TRAFFIC COP
IN TH' SAHARA DESERT!

HOWEVER-DERE MUST BE
SOME SOFT SNAPS NEAR
AT HOME AN' IT'S UP TO ME TO
FIND ONE—I THINK I'LL INVESTIGATE
DIS LAWYER GRAFT!

SAY BOSS—I'M THINKIN'
ABOUT TAKIN' UP TH'
STUDY OF LAW—IS
DERE ANY MONEY
IN IT?

WELL—ALL S.
MY CLIENTS'
MONEY IS IN IT
AND IT JUST HAPPE
THAT I NEED A
BRIGHT BOY!

WELL—BEFORE I ENTERS
TH' FIRM AN' PUTS ME
NAME ON TH' DOOR I'D LIKE
TO KNOW IF YOU'RE A REGULAR
LAWYER OR IF YOU DO DIS
FOR PASTIME!

OH! I'M A
REGULAR
LAWYER ALL
RIGHT—I'VE
BEEN AT THE
BAR FOR NEARLY
TEN YEARS!

BEEN AT TH' BAR
FOR NEARLY TEN YEARS!
GEE WHITAKER!—I
DON'T SEE HOW YOU
KIN WALK!

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MAMMA! DON'T YOU SEE YOUR CHILD IS SICK, CONSTIPATED

Look at tongue! Move poisons from liver and bowels at once

Mother! Your child isn't natural. It's cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleanse should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Askton. Second to the Holy Book does your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of Uncle Tom's Cabin rank as a sacred instructor. The pulpit has endorsed it as a moral teacher worthy of mankind's support, while the board of education in many of the large cities has encouraged scholars in witnessing the worthy dramatization of the story that was instrumental in making our country religious, free and happy. Like a poorly composed book, there are many versions of Uncle Tom's Cabin now being forced upon the public under embossed covering, which are detrimental to the greatest

SPANISH PRINCES AS BOY SCOUTS.

George W. Stoddard Weds Terre Haute Girl After University Dance. CHAMPAIGN, ILL., Nov. 14. Dan Cupid was an unwelcome guest at the annual fall dance of Delta Tau Delta fraternity at the University of Illinois. The little fellow shot his barbs at two of the party, George W. Stoddard and Miss Marion Purvis of Terre Haute, Ind., whom the young man had "imported" for the affair. Cupid's aim was evidently good for Sunday George accompanied Miss Purvis to Danville, from whence the following telegram was sent to the boys at the frat house: "Marion and I were just married; expect congratulations of the brothers. GEORGE."

DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Thee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus driving a cold from the system.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

RUB BACKACHE AND LUMBAGO RIGHT OUT

Rub Pain and Stiffness away with a small bottle of old honest St. Jacobs Oil

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 25 cent bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the ache and pain right out of your back and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica and lame back misery so promptly!

Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE
degree. They are usually short-lived for the people of today are not to be hoodwinked as those of not so many years ago. It is a known fact that Mr. Wm. H. Kibble possesses the original version of Mrs. Stowe's story and that it has been unanimously accepted by the press, pulpit and public of America and England. The Kibble revival will be brought to the Opera House tomorrow night with a company of fifty people and a double

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley left today for Sterling.

Luck Again Favors Pfanschmidt. QUINCY, ILL., Nov. 14.

Ray A. Pfanschmidt, who was cleared of a quadruple murder charge in this county in 1913, and who was later arrested in Wichita, Kan., on a charge of being the leader of a gang of auto thieves, will not be tried because one of the state's important witnesses is missing, according to word received at Quincy.

Prominent Farmer Suicides. URBANA, ILL., Nov. 14.

Isaac S. Peters, seventy-three, banker and farmer of St. Joseph, Illinois, and prominent in local Republican politics for many years, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a shotgun.

Voted for 19th President. FREEPORT, ILL., Nov. 14.

Jonathan Mather, ninety-four years old, voted at Freeport for his nineteenth president at Tuesday's election. He cast his first vote for James K. Polk in 1844.

Boy Killed by Engine. LAFAYETTE, ILL., Nov. 14.

Raymond Clay, while on his way to school, was struck by a switch engine as he stepped onto a grade crossing, thrown under the wheels and killed at Lanark.

Corn Yield Exceeds Expectations. KENT, ILL., Nov. 14.

Corn yields on farms that are adjacent to Kent are considerably larger than had been expected, sixty to seventy bushels per acre being common.

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Nov. 10.—The Loyal Gleaners met at the home of Miss Myrtle Herbst on Tuesday afternoon. After the lesson a social hour was enjoyed and the hostess served dainty refreshments.

Next Sunday evening the Luthie program will be rendered by the Sunday school.

Mrs. Raymond Clark and son Edward of Kimmel, Ind., are visiting relatives in Nachusa and Ashton.

Mrs. John Plantz and daughter Lulu were shopping in Dixon Friday.

Mrs. August Johnson and son Eddie went to Sterling Sunday.

Misses Bertha and Eva Uhl were in Dixon Friday.

Misses Maude Leake and Cordelia Wolf of the Kingdom called on the Misses Uhl Monday evening.

Mrs. George Hain of Franklin Grove was a guest of the Misses Uhl Thursday at dinner and attended the missionary meeting.

Miss Blanche Mannon of Marion, Pa., was a guest of Miss Hazel Hart Thursday.

The W. H. and F. M. society met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. John Plantz. The Misses Uhl assisted in entertaining. Miss Schumacher, field secretary, was a guest of honor and gave a most interesting address. About forty were present. Delicious refreshments were served during the social hour.

"TIZ" EASES TIRED, SORE, SWOLLEN FEET

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BROTHERHOOD MEN TALK STRIKE AGAIN

Order Voted Last Summer Still in Effect, Says Lee.

New York, Nov. 14.—Failure of the railroads of the country to live up to the spirit and intent of the Adamson eight-hour law will result in the strike vote of the four big railroad brotherhoods being put into effect, it was announced here by William G. Lee, head of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, after a three-hour conference between brotherhood and railway representatives.

The conference was called to discuss and if possible reach some agreement or conclusion as to working out the provisions of the law which goes into effect Jan. 1. The strike vote referred to by Mr. Lee is that taken prior to the conference between the railroad and brotherhood heads and President Wilson which was followed by the passage of the Adamson law after the brotherhoods had threatened to put the vote into effect at that time.

MAN BURNS IN CALABOOSA

Wisconsin Town's Bastile Consumed in Blaze That Sweeps Town.

Dubuque, Ia., Nov. 14.—Fire which destroyed seven buildings in the town of Potosi, Wis., caused a financial loss of about \$40,000, and claimed one life, a man who had been locked up in the city calaboose, one of the buildings destroyed.

The unfortunate man was John Canith of Dubuque, laborer, forty-four years old, and but recently liberated from a local asylum, where he was treated for delirious tremors.

John Lally of Amboy was here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harms of Palmyra were here Saturday.

A. W. Book was here Monday from Palmyra.

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PRINCE ALFONSO PRINCE JAIME

Prince Alfonso of the Asturias, 9 dumb, were prominent figures at a meeting of the Boy Scouts of Spain and his brother, Prince Jaime, 8 years old, who is deaf and dumb. Their mother, Queen Victoria, was the guest of honor.

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Second Cassie Chadwick.****116 YEARS IN PRISON DUE HER**

Chicago Poulterer for Smart Set to
Tune of \$81,000 Has Served Two
Terms Behind Bars—Last Crime Be-
fore Duping Chicagoans Was Rais-
ing Postal Orders.

New York, Nov. 14.—Miss Annie E. Sharpley, who has been termed a "second Cassie Chadwick" is in New York and with only a \$5 bill to her name.

Nevertheless, federal and private agencies search for her was fruitless. The investigators wish to question her about her involved business affairs in Chicago.

The woman borrowed \$81,000 on no other security than her personality and ingenuousness, lost in various business ventures, and disappeared. Mrs. T. B. Blackstone, a woman of wealth in the western city, was one of the many who gave her money.

Something of the woman's history—revealed following her hurried departure from Chicago—has spurred on the search. She is said to be the same Annie Sharpley who made thousands of dollars in 1903 by "raising" postal money orders.

Has Name in Many Cities.

In Philadelphia alone she fleeced various hotels and individuals out of \$31,000. She operated under her own name and also under the following aliases: Susie Laurans, Jennie Robertson, Emma Jackson, Mamie Sutton, Rose Woodruff, Edith Mapleson and Anna R. Thomas.

Records of the local postoffice inspectors show Annie Sharpley has a record in nearly every city in the east. Her motherly appearance aided her.

Before leaving Chicago, the woman told her lawyer that she had been blackmailed for years by a former sweetheart with whom she had an early romance in Glasgow, her native city. She said his hounding even extended across the Atlantic.

In Chicago she first came into the limelight as a raiser of fancy poultry for people of wealth on the North Shore. She said also that she was the author of a drama which Belasco was to produce. It was called "Lights Ahead," and was a barnyard drama.

Served Two Terms in Jails.

According to federal records she has served at least two terms in eastern jails. U. S. Judge Adams released her under suspended sentence in this city on April 25, 1905.

Two years before she had been arrested by Postoffice Inspectors Jacobs and Meyer for "raising" money orders in Philadelphia. At that time she lived in a lodging house on Fulton street, Brooklyn. Search for her in this neighborhood has so far been unavailing.

The police record goes back to 1898 when she was working as bookkeeper for a paper hanger named Russell. She speedily made the acquaintance of customers and induced a man named McConnell to mortgage his home and advance her \$2,600 to go to a land improvement scheme. The property was only on paper.

Before this was discovered, she convinced several business men that through politicians in the tax offices in Philadelphia, she could get certain houses at a big sacrifice under city foreclosure proceedings. She obtained \$6,000 by this means.

16 Years in Prison Due.

She dropped from sight for two or three years. Next she was heard from when she began prosecuting her scheme of "raising" \$1 money orders to \$100. She made tens of thousands in this way and was in a fair way to become extremely wealthy when detected.

Before her first jail sentence it was figured out that she would be forced to serve 116 years in prison if all complaints against her were pressed. Instead she served only two years in the Pennsylvania state penitentiary.

In Pennsylvania Prison.

Philadelphia, Nov. 14.—Annie E. Sharpley, alias Minnie Clarkson, alias Charlotte Cross, et al, was arrested in New York Aug. 4, 1903, for altering money orders in New York and other points and was held in \$2,500 bail for removal to Philadelphia. She was indicted Sept. 1903, at Philadelphia, plead guilty Sept. 21, 1903, and was sentenced the same day to two years in the eastern penitentiary.

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Halts Toothpick Payment Wager.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The police held up one election bet payment here when Munn Cannon, George Washington university student, rolling a peanut with a toothpick on Pennsylvania avenue.

Aviator Dies in Fall.

Buenos Aires, Nov. 14.—While Piero Macho, an aviator, was making a flight with a passenger, his machine fell. The aviator was killed and his passenger injured.

Feb. 15.—J. L. Welty, closing out sale, 4 miles northeast of Dixon, Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 16.—Ottie Luthi, closing out sale, 2 miles east of Dixon on Trusdale farm, Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 17.—Guy Merriman, closing out sale, 3 miles south of Dixon on Peoria road, Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 18.—Abe Miller, closing out sale, 1-2 mile south of Nachusa, Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 19.—Barnard Feeley, closing out sale, 1 mile south of Eldena, Fruin & Powers, Aucts.

Feb. 20.—Michael Harvey, closing out sale, 4 miles northeast of Dixon, Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 21.—S. E. Eakle, Duroc brood sow sale, Prophetstown, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 22.—Chas. Moulton, Duroc brood sow sale at Morrison, Ill. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 23.—Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 24.—Geo. Remmers, closing out sale, 2 miles north of Grand Detour, Fruin & Rutt, Aucts.

Feb. 25.—J. L. Welty, closing out sale, 1-2 mile north of Nachusa, Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Feb. 26.—Jones & Cox, closing out sale, 3 miles northwest of Grand Detour, Fruin & Fahrney, Aucts.

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The peculiarity of the habitual fault finder is that he has no reason to find fault. He disturbs the serenity of those who are happy and who would enjoy peace and contentment but or him.

Nothing satisfies the fault finder and no era has been free from his tantalizing presence. The faultfinders exasperated Moses on the mount until he dashed to pieces the stone tablets inscribed with the first written laws of God and man.

The faultfinder is the bane of the family circle. He undermines affection, destroys peace and breeds discontent. He is the fly in the ointment, the unwelcome intruder. He makes the task of the genuine reformer more difficult.

He blocks the path of progress. He dictates the statutes with unnecessary and unworkable laws. He dictates destructive policies to those in authority and makes them cower before his vitriolic tongue, his poisonous pen and pestiferous persistence.

No church has been without its fault finder, no social organization; no shop, factory or office and no movement for the public good is exempt from his intrusion.

The faultfinder is found everywhere scattering the seeds of distrust, poisoning the minds of those who will listen, marshalling the forces of unreason, casting shadows on the sun, dimming the light of the stars, mocking the hopes of humanity and challenging the goodness of a benevolent Providence.

Out with the faultfinder! We have no room for him.—Leslie.

Fearing to break into a profession that's overcrowded, some men waste the best years of their lives looking for one that isn't.

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Lots of men are lenient with themselves because of their belief that charity begins at home.

The mind cure may be all right—but the patient must have a mind of his own to start with.

The majority of mankind follows the golden rule—at a distance.

Some men spend a lot of time looking for traps to walk into.

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